

I oppose any attempt to exempt the banking industry from Wisconsin's Do Not Call list. Wisconsin chose to have strong protection for its consumers and simply because banks think we "might be interested" in their products, they would like an exemption. This is not adequate grounds for any exemption--a siding or a painting contractor likely also thinks that I "might be interested."

Also, the banking industry is claiming that they cannot keep track of different laws in different jurisdictions. That is the most ridiculous claim and they are not entitled to special treatment because "it's too tough" and they choose not to learn the laws. Large banks deal with laws in all 50 states and they do quite well at it. Their cry for help with following the laws is not based in logic or good faith.

Consumer laws should continue to be strong and if this industry is permitted any exemption, the FCC can certainly expect that other industries will follow. I respectfully request that the FCC decline this request for an exemption from Wisconsin's Do Not Call List. Frankly, if people want a bank's products, we'll call them.